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POSTAL REGULATORY
COMMISSION
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Dear Sirs:

I am writing to appeal the decision of the Postal Service to close the Elwell MI Post Office Docket # 1362509-48832. Not only will this decision pose a great inconvenience for me personal but I feel that it is not in the best interest of the Postal Service long term to be closing many of these long standing rural offices. The Elwell office has existed to serve the community since the 1880's. It may be true that the office has not paid its own way in terms over the counter revenue but there are other factors that justify it's existence. The Good Will provided to the postal service alone justifies the existence. I believe that you shoot your self in the foot by closing many of these rural offices and will loose a wide network of collection points that the competition, mainly UPS and FedEx, will warmly welcome with open arms.

Kindly advise if there is any further official paper work required to lodge this appeal.

Sincerely.

John Hutchins

